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Application No.: 09/730,451  
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For: CAMERA (amended herein to DIGITAL CAMERA  
PROVIDED WITH A PLURALITY OF MOUNTING  
PORTIONS TO EACH OF WHICH A RECORDING  
MEDIUM IS MOUNTED  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Office Action, dated May 21, 2004, be extended for one month to September 21, 2004.

A response to the Office Action, dated May 21, 2004, is filed concurrently herewith.

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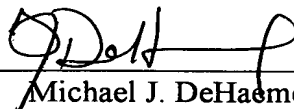
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A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization for the one month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) is submitted herewith. In the event that the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is not present, is not sufficient, or is not acceptable, please charge any fee (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this U.S. patent application to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

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